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Attorney Docket Number	A01325
First Name Inventor	Ching-Jen Chang et al.
<b>COMPLETE IF KNOWN</b>	
Application Number	60/431,866
Filing Date	December 9, 2002
Art Unit	Not yet assigned
Examiner Name	Not yet assigned

As the below named inventor, I hereby declare that:

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I believe I am the original and first inventor of the subject matter which is claimed and for which a patent is sought on the invention entitled:

**MULTI-STAGE POLYMER COMPOSITIONS HAVING A TRIGGERED RESPONSE**

(Title of the Invention)

the specification of which



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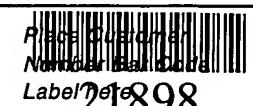
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